

1 **STATE OF GEORGIA**
2 **COUNTY OF FULTON**
3 **CITY OF SOUTH FULTON**

RES2019-039

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6 **A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY OF SOUTH FULTON, GEORGIA, TO HELP ENSURE**
7 **THE EFFICIENT AND EXPEDITIOUS PROCESSING OF MAIL BY REQUESTING**
8 **THAT THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OFFICIALLY RECOGNIZE THE**
9 **CITY FOR MAILING PURPOSES AND FOR OTHER LAWFUL PURPOSES**

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11 **(Sponsored by Councilperson Jackson)**

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13 **WHEREAS**, the City of South Fulton ("City") is a municipal corporation duly
14 organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia;

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16 **WHEREAS**, the duly elected governing authority of the City, is the Mayor and
17 Council thereof ("City Council");

18 **WHEREAS**, on April 26, 2016, the Governor signed House Bill 514 ("City
19 Charter"), the local act that incorporated the City;

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21 **WHEREAS**, the City is the third largest city in Fulton County, Georgia, with
22 approximately 85.64 square miles of land, a population of over 98,000 and more than
23 1,776 businesses.

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25 **WHEREAS**, Section 1.12(b)(44) of the City Charter authorizes the City Council
26 "to promote or protect the safety, health, peace, security, good order, comfort,
27 convenience, or general welfare of the city";

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29 **WHEREAS**, the City Council desires to promote or protect the safety, health,
30 peace, security, good order, comfort, convenience, or general welfare of the city through
31 this Resolution by helping to ensure that the City is official recognized by the United
32 States Postal Service;

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34 **WHEREAS**, the City Council further desires through this Resolution to help
35 ensure that mail is effectively and expeditiously and efficiently routed to City businesses
36 and residents who list the City's name on mailings; and

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38 **WHEREAS**, this Resolution is in the best interests of the health and general
39 welfare of the City, its residents and general public.

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41 **THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH FULTON, GEORGIA, HEREBY**
42 **RESOLVES** as follows:

43 **Section 1.** The City of South Fulton hereby requests that USPS officially recognize the
44 City for mailing purposes. The City Manager is hereby directed to cause for this
45 Resolution, along with a City map and City addresses to be provided to USPS.
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48 **Section 2.** It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that: (a) All
49 sections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses and phrases of this Resolution are or were,
50 upon their enactment, believed by the City Council to be fully valid, enforceable and
51 constitutional.

52 (b) To the greatest extent allowed by law, each and every section, paragraph, sentence,
53 clause or phrase of this Resolution is severable from every other section, paragraph,
54 sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution. No section, paragraph, sentence, clause
55 or phrase of this Resolution is mutually dependent upon any other section, paragraph,
56 sentence, clause or phrase of this Resolution.

57 (c) In the event that any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this
58 Resolution shall, for any reason whatsoever, be declared invalid, unconstitutional or
59 otherwise unenforceable by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent
60 jurisdiction, it is the express intent of the City Council that such invalidity,
61 unconstitutionality or unenforceability shall, to the greatest extent allowed by law, not
62 render invalid, unconstitutional or otherwise unenforceable any of the remaining
63 phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs or sections of the Resolution.

64 **Section 3.** The city attorney and city clerk are authorized to make non-substantive
65 editing and renumbering revisions to this Resolution for proofing, codification, and
66 supplementation purposes. The final version of all ordinances shall be filed with the city
67 clerk.

68 **Section 4.** The effective date of this Resolution shall be the date of adoption, unless
69 provided otherwise by the City Charter or state and/or federal law.
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72 THIS RESOLUTION adopted this 13th day of August 2019.

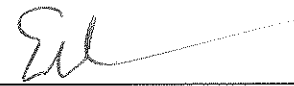
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74 CITY OF SOUTH FULTON, GEORGIA
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79 WILLIAM "BILL" EDWARDS, MAYOR
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82 ATTEST:

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86 S. DIANE WHITE, CITY CLERK
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88 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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92 EMILIA C. WALKER, CITY ATTORNEY
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The foregoing RESOLUTION No. 2019-037, adopted on August 13, 2019 was offered by Councilmember Jackson, who moved its approval. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Baker, and being put to a vote, the result was as follows:

	AYE	NAY
William "Bill" Edwards, Mayor		
Mark Baker, Mayor Pro Tem	✓	
Catherine Foster Rowell	✓	
Carmalitha Lizandra Gumbs	✓	
Helen Zenobia Willis	✓	
Gertrude Naeema Gilyard	✓	
Rosie Jackson	✓	
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MAYOR'S SIGNATURE PAGE

The mayor, within ten (10) business days following receipt of a Resolution, shall return it to the city clerk with or without the mayor's approval or with the mayor's veto. If a Resolution has been approved by the mayor or if it is returned to the city clerk neither approved nor disapproved, it shall become law upon its return to the city clerk. However, if the mayor fails to return a Resolution to the city clerk within ten (10) business days of receipt, it shall become law at 12:00 Midnight on the tenth business day after receipt.

The mayor acknowledges receipt of the noted Item listed below:

Date of Adoption: 8/21/2019 **Item Number:** Res2019-039

Subject: Resolution to help ensure processing of Mail by requesting USPS officially recognize the City

Date Received by Mayor: 8/21/2019

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APPROVED

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Mayor's Signature: _____
WILLIAM "BILL" EDWARDS

Date to City Clerk' Office: 8/21/2019